TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE **UNITED STATES**

DESIGN ATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

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U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5)

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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/SE98/01982

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PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 11 November 1997

TITLE OF INVENTION							
ARRANGEMENT FOR OBTAINING RELIABLE ANCHORING OF A THREADED IMPLANT IN BONE							
APPLICANT (S) FOR DO/EO/US							
Lennart Carlsson, Fredrik Engman, Roger Fromell and Lars Jörnéus							
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:							
1. This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. § 371							
2. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. § 371.							
3. This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. § 371(f)) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. § 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).							
4. A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date.							
 5. □ A copy of the International Application as published (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(2)) WO 99/23971 a. □ is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b. □ has been transmitted by the International Bureau. c. □ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). 							
6. ☐ A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(2)).							
 Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(3)) a. □ are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b. □ have been transmitted by the International Bureau. c. □ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. □ have not been made and will not be made. 							
8. A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(3).							
9. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).							
10. ☐ A translation of the Annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).							
Items 11. to 16. below concern other document(s) or information included:							
11.□ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. (w/ references & Form PTO-1449)							
12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.							
13. ☐ A FIRST preliminary amendment. ☐ A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.							
14. ☐ A substitute specification.							
15. ☐ A change of power of attorney and/or address letter							
16. Other items or information:							
A copy of Notification of Missing Requirements							
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